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# WIS 15 Study New London to Greenville

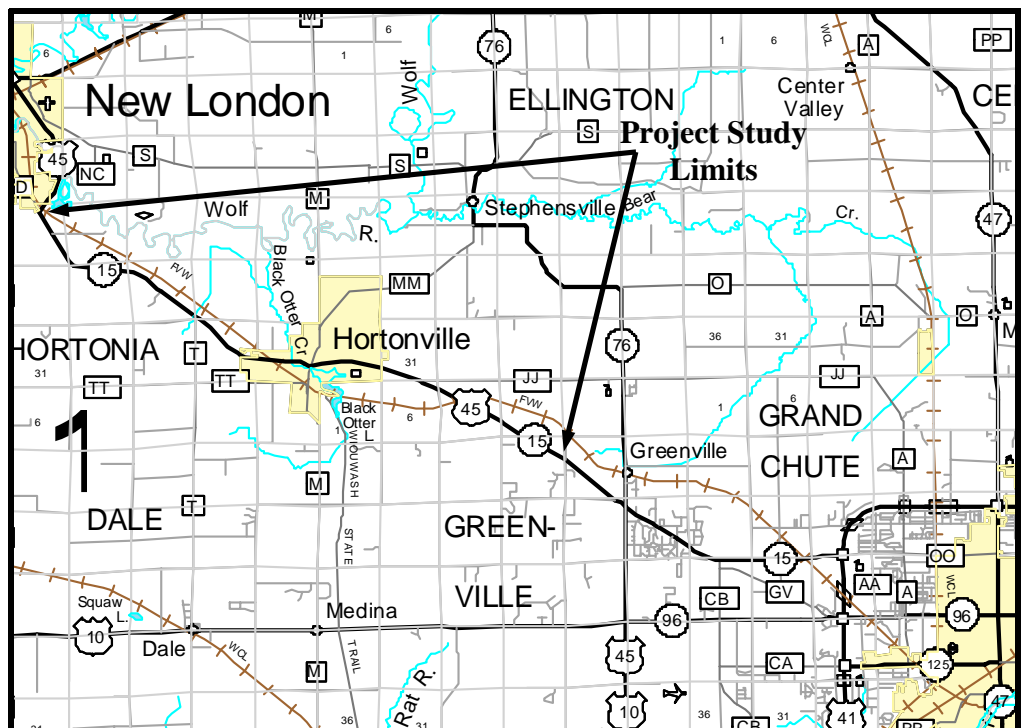
## Transportation Projects Commission approves WIS 15 for study

The Transportation Projects Commission (TPC) approved a portion of WIS 15 from New London to Greenville for study in late 2001.

The study WisDOT will complete is an environmental impact statement (EIS). The EIS will include information and consideration of environmental

factors for transportation improvement alternatives.

The required EIS will provide information to governmental agencies and the public and will aid in the decision making process for the selection of the preferred transportation alternative.



WIS 15 project study limits approved by the Transportation Projects Commission.

A newsletter published by the Wisconsin Department of Transportation to keep citizens informed.

## Major highway projects process

### Concept to completion

#### Step 1

##### Develop System Plans

WisDOT develops a long range plan (20 years) that looks at the "big picture" of the future of highway corridors in state.

#### Step 2

##### Analyze Project Needs

The Transportation Projects Commission (TPC) selects and approves projects for environmental study after analysis of transportation needs on roadways statewide.

#### Step 3

##### Environmental Impact Study

WisDOT conducts an EIS to identify the impacts of project alternatives. This includes impacts on social, economic, agricultural, archaeological, historical, and natural resources.

#### Step 4

##### TPC Approval

The TPC meets in even number years to evaluate projects statewide and recommend projects for construction or "enumeration". Projects should demonstrate ability to enhance the state's economy, improve traffic flow, enhance safety, serve the community, and minimize environmental impacts.

#### Step 5

##### Design and Construction

Final design and construction plans begin on enumerated projects.

## First public information meeting scheduled

You are invited to attend a public information meeting about WIS 15. WisDOT will hold a public meeting to provide information and hear public comment regarding the WIS 15 environmental study.

The meetings are scheduled for May 28, 2003. Two duplicate sessions are scheduled for your convenience.

One session is from 2 pm to 4 pm and the other is from 6 pm to 8 pm at the Hortonville Community Center located at 312 West Main Street in Hortonville.

Information displayed at the public meeting will include:

- Highway alternatives

- Traffic data
- Environmental areas
- Land use

WisDOT staff, Highway 15 advisory committee members and local officials will be available to answer questions.



## Highway 15 advisory committee provides direction

How important is the Highway 15 advisory committee's role in the environmental study process? Committee members represent their communities and are responsible for providing direction

in the decision making process. They are the eyes and ears of the local communities. The committee's involvement will contribute towards a supported transportation recommendation.

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# WisDOT

## WisDOT, local officials, legislators receive letters from citizens

WisDOT would like to thank everyone who has taken the time to write letters or contact legislators, local officials and WisDOT staff regarding this project.

A number of the contacts have come with questions, comments and suggestions. This kind of interest on the part of citizens is great and helpful. All we can say is, "Keep 'em coming."

When you write, please include contact information so we can

make sure you have a spot on our mailing list. Additionally, comments are recorded and included as part of the corridor selection process.

Contact information is included on this newsletter. Additionally, you can find a copy of this newsletter (and other transportation information) on the WisDOT Web site by clicking on [www.dot.wi.gov/projects/d3/index.htm](http://www.dot.wi.gov/projects/d3/index.htm).